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PRIORITY

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4 DEC 1963

P 032039Z
FM CIA WASHDC
TO RUCSBR/SAC OFFUTT AFB, OMAHA, NEB
RUCVAB/4080 STRAT WG, OL 19, BARKSDALE AFB, LA
RUCVAB/2D RTS, BARKSDALE AFB, LA
RUEAHQ/DIAXX
RUECYG/NAVY PIC
RUWBKG/15TH AF, MARCH AFB, RIVERSIDE, CALIF
RUWGAA/2AF, BARKSDALE AFB, LA
DA GRNC
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CJS

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DNS

AGE

Grace (File)

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CITE CIA-Z-1053

15TH AF (FOR DI); SAC (FOR DIM, GOLDEN TREE, DOCR, DM 4) 2D AF
(FOR DI). FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER.

1. CAMERA B 8 WAS USED IN MISSION 3785 FLOWN ON 29 NOVEMBER
1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY BARKSDALE.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. THE EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE. A TRUE EVALUATION OF THE
RESOLUTION IS NOT POSSIBLE DUE TO THE HEAVY CLOUD COVER.

B. 9R SIDE: A MANUFACTURING SPLICE APPEARS ON FRAME 204
WITH ASSOCIATED SCRATCHES AND ABRASIONS. THE FILM MISTRACKED
TOWARD THE INBOARD EDGE CONTINUALLY THROUGHOUT THE MISSION RE-
SULTING IN INBOARD EDGE DAMAGE ON FRAME 305. AN IMPRESSION
3.7" LONG EXTENDING INTO THE FORMAT FROM THE INBOARD EDGE APPEARS
APPROXIMATELY EACH 7.5" ON FRAMES 306 THROUGH 316.

C. 9L SIDE: MINOR PINHOLES APPEAR INTERMITTENTLY THROUGH-
OUT THE MISSION.

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Declassification Review by NGA/DoD

GROUP 1
Excluded from automatic
downgrading and
declassification

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**B. BOTH SIDES: PROCESSING STREAMS ARE CONTINUOUS THROUGHOUT.
A TOTAL OF ONLY 560 FRAMES EXIST ON EACH SIDE OF THIS MISSION.
THE PROCESSING SITE ATTRIBUTES THE SHORTNESS OF THE MISSION TO
A CAMERA MALFUNCTION.**

E. THERE WERE NO MAJOR PROCESSING ANOMALIES.

3. POSITIVE:

A. PI SUTIAILITY IS FAIR DUE TO THE HEAVY CLOUD COVER.

B. PRINTING AND PROCESSING WERE GOOD.

**C. CLOUDS OBSCURE OR DEGRADE APPROXIMATELY 90 PER CENT
OF THE MISSION. SCP-1.**

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-END OF MESSAGE-

(ALSO PASSED TO CIA WATCH (CGS))

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